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For: RESERVOIRS WITH SUBRETINAL CANNULA FOR DRUG DELIVERY

MS RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

This application is an RCE of prior U.S.S.N. 10/543,083, filed on January 4, 2006. The following is in response to the Final Office Action mailed December 23, 2008 and the Advisory Action mailed February 10, 2009. Applicants kindly ask that the above-identified application be amended prior to examination as set forth herein.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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